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A BARGAIN IN SHOES

Owing to increased pressure of business we have been unable to get out our special advertisement for big sale. Our shoes recently purchased in large bulk has kept us going marking special prices, and these surely are bargains.

THINK FOR A MOMENT

You can buy Shoes

Less Than Regular
Wholesale Cost

We ask you to call

Bargains Galore all over the store

J. V. BERSCHT
THE SHOE KING

Whether the \$18,000 mark is reached or not the new automobile will be given away on APRIL 1st, so get busy. : :
Sales up to Monday evening, March 23rd, amounts to \$17,378.31

TEN DAYS SALE NOW ON

See large posters for list of goods on sale and prices, etc.

Smoked Meats and Lard of all kinds

CITY MEAT MARKET
JONES BROS. Proprietors



PORK

FOR PRICES ON
LIVE STOCK

PHONE N. WEICKER

When in town call in and see me at my office at Benn's east side of track. I will take delivery of hogs every Monday at top market price, and fat cattle we take any day of the week at their market value.

Office Phone 85. Residence 17

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Significant Progress

The figures below show more impressively than words the progress which the Union Bank of Canada is making. Consider them carefully.

	1910	1911	1912	1913
Capital	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
Reserve	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Total Assets	3,000,000	3,000,000	3,000,000	3,000,000
Deposits	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000

DIDSBURY BRANCH

T. W. Cuncannon, Manager
Caretaker Branch—W. A. Stewart, Mgr.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. C. Newsom were visitors at Red Deer over the week end.

The Rev. J. Rex Brown of Carstairs will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit Sunday evening next at 7.30.

Sinclair Bros. are making preparations to erect a solid cement blacksmith shop on the site of their former shop.

Mr. A. A. Blessing of Pleasanton, Kas., was visiting with Bob. Stokes for a few days last week.

W. J. Scheidt and Miss Augusta Scheidt returned from their visit to north and south Dakota on Saturday last.

H. W. Chambers has let the contract for building for his drug store to R. Morrison. The store will be built of solid brick one storey high.

The Young People's Society of Knox Presbyterian church were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Studer on Tuesday evening last.

Clyde Teare has withdrawn from the firm of Jones Bros. & Teare and has bought out the Alberta Livery and Feed barns, south of town, from Frank Reek.

George Sing Way was the first to take out a building permit. The building will be a two storey ~~solid brick building and will be~~ built on the lot adjoining the corner of Hammond St. and Railway Ave.

Miss Dolly Stark came down on Friday last from Red Deer, where she is attending college, on a week end visit to her parents. While at home her mother entertained a number of her daughter's young friends at a party on Friday evening.

A large number of ladies attended the "At Home" given by Mrs. J. M. Reed at her residence on Friday afternoon last. The affair was very enjoyable to those present. Mrs. (Dr.) G. M. Reid presided at the tea table while Mrs. J. E. Stauffer served the guests. Mrs. (Rev.) D. S. Marshall and Mrs. Brusco also assisted at the function.

The concert given by the Didsbury Band and Orchestra on Friday night last was such a success that they have been requested by a large number of people to repeat the same. The Band have decided to give a repeat concert on Friday night, April 8th, in the High School basement, at greatly reduced prices, adults 25c, children 15c, and they respectfully request the same splendid support that they received at the former concert.

Norman Weicker has sold out his commission business in town to Oscar Haag. Mr. Weicker has been in the business in this district for a great many years and in that time has built up a good business amongst the farmers of this district. Mr. Haag is also well known in the district, especially amongst the farmers of the eastern section where he has farmed for some years, and no doubt will be able to serve his prospective customers with satisfaction. Mr. Haag being a first class stock man Mr. Weicker strongly recommends him to his former customers. Mr. Haag intends moving his family to Didsbury shortly.

ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.

All Kinds of Building Material
(Prices Right.)

Hardwood in Stock.

GALT COAL Hard Coal and Bricketts
Burns All Night always on hand

W. H. Stark, - - Mgr.

DIDSBURY MEAT MARKET SWELM & MORTIMER, Props.

We solicit your trade in the retail butcher business and promise you our best attention on any orders you may give us. The quality of our meats will give us your trade. Phone us your orders and they will be promptly filled. : : : : :

FRESH AND CURED MEATS AND FISH

Store one door west of W. G. Liesemer's Hardware Store
OSLER STREET, - - DIDSBURY

J. M. HYSMITH

The Harness Maker

In Didsbury

Has just got the set of harness to interest every farmer in the district.

IT'S A PLOW HARNESS

DESCRIPTION:

Bridles, 3-4 in. with Concord Blinds
Lines, 7-8 in. 20 ft. long
No. 3 Varnished Hook Hames
6 1-2 ft. Trace Chains
3 1-2 ft. Chain Pipe
Web Pads
1 1-4 in. Belly Band and Billets
Hame Strap, 7-8 in.
Breast Strap 1 1-2 inch

And the price for this
Harness, less collars **\$18.00**

With Collars, \$23.00

FOR SALE

Must Be sold this week

New Range was \$50.00, for.....	\$37.50
97 pieces, Set of Dishes, new, was \$25.00, for.....	16.00
3 Iron Beds, and Springs at about.....	1-2 price
Quarter Cut Oak China Cabinet, regular \$25.00 for..	16.00
Solid Oak Dresser and Stand, large oval glass, regular \$37.50 for.....	25.00
Arm Wicker Chair, at.....	7.00
4 Parlor Tables, Cheap	
Tapestry Rug, 3x3 1-2 yds for.....	6.50
Brussels Rug, 3x3, regular \$15.00 for.....	10.00
Wringer and Stand, was \$8.00 for.....	5.00
Lawn Mower, used one season, regular \$8.00 for....	5.00
Two Burner Gasoline Cook Stove at.....	2.50
Coal Oil Heater at.....	2.00

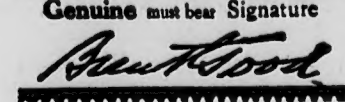
Numerous other Household articles

These goods were bought at wholesale prices and are practically all new and will be sold cheap. Must be sold this week at

I. N. KAUFMAN'S
HIEBERT'S HOUSE

Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver.
 Stop after dinner—distress—cure indigestion—improve the complexion—brighten the eyes. *Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.*
Genuine must bear Signature
Brentwood



GOLD WATCH FREE.

A straightforward generous offer from an established firm. We are giving away watches to thousands of people all over the world as a huge advertisement. Now is your chance to obtain one. Write now, enclosing 25 cents for one of our fashionable Ladies' Long Chains, or Gents' Alberts, sent carriage paid to your door. The watch, which will be given free (these watches are guaranteed five years), should you take advantage of our offer. We expect you to tell your friends about us and show them the beautiful watch. Don't think this offer too good to be true. But send 25 cents today and win a Free Watch. You will be amazed. **WILLIAMS & LLOYD, Wholesale Jewellers** (Dept. 18), 20, Cornwallis Road, London, W., England.

THIS is a HOME DYE that ANYONE can use



DYOLA

The Guaranteed "ONE DYE" for All Kinds of Cloth.
 Clean, Simple, No Chance of Mistake. TRY IT! Send for Free Color Card and Booklet. The Johnsons, Richardson Co., Limited (Montreal)

Clark's Pork & Beans



Highest grade beans kept whole and mealy by perfect baking, retaining their full strength. Flavored with delicious sauces. They have no equal.

FREE

350 Shot Air Rifle.

action, repeater, hammerless, lever. Our beautiful draws work handkerchiefs at 10 cents each. Order at once. No money required. Cash commission if you wish. **CHIEF MFG. CO.** 11 Chief Bldg., BEEBE, Quebec.

RAW FURS

We Pay Highest Values
 Write for Price List and Shipping Tags
Sierce Fur Co. Ltd.
 (King and Alexander, WINNIPEG, Canada)

PATENTS

Fetherstonhaugh & Co., Head Office, King Street, East, Toronto, Canada

Jones—What is a car like this worth.
 Auto Man—Three thousand dollars!
 Jones—Why, I thought that was the price!

Try Murine Eye Remedy

If you have Red, Weak, Watery Eyes or Granulated Eyelids. Doesn't Smart—Soothes Eye Pain. Druggists Sell Murine Eye Remedy, Liquid, 25c, 50c. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 25c, 50c. Eye Books Free by Mail. Ask Eye Doctor for All Eyes that Need Care. **Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago**

Silence Hour
 One mother of a large household has a system of recreation which is really a novelty. The day and its duties are carefully apportioned, and the schedule is followed as closely as possible. By doing this the mother is able to take one afternoon a day for complete rest. In her case it is from 2 to 3 o'clock. She places a large placard at this time on the stairs, proclaiming "Silence." By the mother's persistence in taking this quiet hour others have grown to respect it until it has become a part of the home. In her home the mother really rests or else reads. No one goes near her unless it is absolutely necessary. The children close doors quietly when they see the placard and play where their voices will not reach the mother's room. At the end of the sixty minutes the mother reappears and takes up her usual duties. Several hours of absolute freedom a week can do a great deal to make over and refresh a weary body and still more weary nerves. An hour for rest in almost every household can be found if things are done systematically.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

A colonel wanted a manservant, so he inserted an advertisement in the local weekly and received a great many applications, but none of them suited his requirements. But at last an Irishman was shown into his presence. What I want, said the colonel, is a useful man—one who can cook, drive a motor, look after a pair of horses, clean boots and windows, feed the poultry, milk the cow, and do a little painting and paperhanging.
 Excuse me, sir, cried Murphy, what kind of soil have you here?
 Soil! snapped the colonel, what's that got to do with it?
 Well, replied Murphy, I thought that if the soil was clay, I might make bricks in my spare time.

Bacon—What's become of that young man typewriter you had?
 Egbert—Oh, he's gone away, for a while.
 Not discharged?
 No, I have sent him to the house of correction for a time.

THIN-BLOODED MEN AND WOMEN

Need the Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Actually Make

Thin-blooded people do not remain so from choice, but from indifference; in some cases from despair. People who are pale, languid, with palpitation of the heart, some difficulty in breathing and a tendency to be easily tired are suffering from thin blood. They need only the resolution to take the right treatment and stick to it until cured. The remedy that can be relied upon is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. With every dose they make new blood, and new blood means health and strength. The red cheeks, good appetite, increasing weight and strength that follow the use of these Pills prove their great value to thin-blooded people. Here is an example. Mrs. R. Steele, Afton Road, P.E.I., says: "Following child-birth I took a pain in my head which grew so bad I had to call in a doctor. He told me that my blood had turned to water and that I was in a serious condition. He treated me four months, but still the pain remained, and my condition was growing pitiable. I lost my appetite and was so weak and run down that I could no more than walk across a room. I was as pale as a corpse, and the doctor told my friends he had but little hopes of my getting better. A cousin who came to see me urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I sent and got a supply. In about a month after beginning their use I had much relief, and by the time I had taken six more boxes I was fully cured and felt as well as ever I did in my life. I have never had a twinge of the pain since, and feel that I owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they cured me after the doctor had failed." Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Orville Wright's stabilizer will make aeroplanes as safe as automobiles, absolutely "fool proof," he says. But when was the fool proof automobile invented?

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

To get the genuine call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

A Heavenly Gift

A girl with pretty, rosy cheeks was walking down a street in a southern city when she heard a clubman say to his companion:
 By heaven, she's painted!
 Turning quickly about she said with dignity: Yes, and by heaven only.

SHILOH

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, and heals the throat and lungs. 11 11 25 cents.

Son, this is fact, I'm telling you, You'll find this good advice, If you must get a skate on, you Will never cut much ice.

The average citizen who four months ago knew nothing whatever about the theory of money and the principles of currency knows just as much now.

Joints Quit Aching—Nerviline Drives Soreness Away

NO MORE STIFFNESS, PAIN OR MISERY IN YOUR BACK OR SIDE OR LIMBS

Wonderful "Nerviline" is the Remedy A marvelous pain reliever.

Not an ordinary liniment—just about five times more powerful, more penetrating, more pain-subduing than any thick, oily or ammonia liniment. Nerviline fairly eats up the pain and stiffness in chronic rheumatic joints, gives quick relief to those throbbing pains, and never burns or even stains the skin.
 "Rheumatism kept my joints swollen and sore for ten years. My right knee joint was often too painful to allow me to walk. In this crippled, tortured condition I found Nerviline a blessing. Its warm, soothing action brought relief I had given up hoping for. I rubbed on quantities of Nerviline and improved steadily. I also took Ferrozone at meal time in order to purify and enrich my blood. I am today well and can recommend my treatment most conscientiously."
 (Signed) C. PARKS, Prince Albert

Not an ache or pain in the muscles or joints that Nerviline won't cure. It's wonderful for lumbago and sciatica; for neuralgia, stiff neck, earache and toothache. Nerviline is simply a wonder. Best family liniment known and largely used for the past forty years. Sold by dealers everywhere, large family size bottle 50c, small size 25c. Refuse a substitute, take only "Nerviline."

The Fashionable Face

Browne—Say, old man, I haven't seen or heard anything of my wife in two or three weeks. You haven't seen her lately, have you?
 Swellington—No; maybe she's at home. Have you looked?
 Browne—No, by Jove. Never did think of that.

No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got in a simple but strong remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

Admiral Peary declares there is a great deal of work remaining to be done in the arctic regions. But the European emigrants continue to purchase passage tickets to the Canada instead of Greenland.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Italy is setting off some old warships to Turkey. Peace with her victories no less renowned than war.

Regularity

of the bowels is an absolute necessity for good health. Unless the waste matter from the food which collects there is got rid of at least once a day, it decays and poisons the whole body, causing biliousness, indigestion and sick headaches. Salts and other harsh mineral purgatives irritate the delicate lining of the bowels. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills—entirely vegetable—regulate the bowels effectively without weakening, sickening or griping. Use

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

BEST AND HEALTHY TO MOTHER AND CHILD.

Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TERTING WITH PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Some Surprise for the Doctor

There is a story current about a widely known London doctor. About 3 o'clock one morning he was rung up by a wealthy patient and begged to come over at once. Turning out of bed he rushed off expecting to find the man in extremis. Imagine his surprise at being ushered into a dining room where a gay supper party was assembled. The first remark made to him was: Oh, doctor, I am so glad you have come. We wanted you to settle a bet as to exactly where the diaphragm is. He not only told them where the diaphragm was, but told them many other things. The patient tried to mollify him by asking "his fee." Still furiously angry he named a staggering one which to his surprise was paid on the spot.

Strangled With Asthma is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured from an attack of this trouble.

The relief from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is beyond measure. Where all was suffering comes comfort and rest. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared. This unequalled remedy is worth many times its price to all who use it.

London is rebelling against highly paid American vaudeville stars. The wonder is that it did not sooner discover they are not very funny. The tragedy is that they may now return.

Synonymous

That salesman is a man of polish. Yes; he's a very smooth article.

GIN PILLS FOR WOMEN

Read What Mrs. Harris Says About Them

Mrs. T. Harris of Tyneside, Ont. knows all about GIN PILLS. "I am now taking my third box of GIN PILLS," she writes. "The pains across my back and kidneys has almost entirely gone. I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism but it has all left me. I strongly advise all women, who suffer from Pain In The Back and Weak Kidneys, to try GIN PILLS." 50c. a Box, 1 for \$2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug & Chemical Co., of Canada, Limited Toronto.

Well, They Were

The boy at the head of the class will state what were the dark ages of the world.

Boy hesitates.

Next, Master Jones can you tell me what the dark ages were?

I guess they were the ages before spectacles were invented.

It takes a female detective to follow the fashions.

FREE TO ALL SUFFERERS

If you feel "out of sorts," "run down," "got the blues," "superficial skin," "bad nerves," "chronic weakness," "ulcers," "sinusitis," "stomach troubles," "indigestion," "constipation," "headaches," "neuralgia," "rheumatism," "gout," "asthma," "bronchitis," "croup," "whooping cough," "measles," "scarlet fever," "diphtheria," "typhoid fever," "cholera," "malaria," "yellow fever," "typhus fever," "relapsing fever," "brill's disease," "syphilis," "gonorrhea," "chancres," "bone pain," "joint pain," "muscle pain," "nerve pain," "heart pain," "lung pain," "kidney pain," "bladder pain," "prostate pain," "testicle pain," "ovary pain," "uterus pain," "vagina pain," "breast pain," "neck pain," "throat pain," "ear pain," "eye pain," "nose pain," "mouth pain," "throat pain," "stomach pain," "intestine pain," "rectum pain," "anus pain," "perineum pain," "penis pain," "clitoris pain," "vagina pain," "uterus pain," "ovary pain," "breast pain," "neck pain," "throat pain," "ear pain," "eye pain," "nose 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MUNICIPALITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW

WEEDS



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the farmers of Mountain View Municipality that the Weed Act will be STRICTLY enforced during 1914. It has been noticed that weeds have been abnormally spreading year by year, and in order to check their growth or exterminate them, drastic measures must be taken in the public interest to check or eradicate them. Those who have weeds upon their land should plan before seeding the best way of freeing their land from them. Either summer-fallow or sow for green feed with the intention of cutting before the weed seed can ripen. If it is found that weeds are in your crop grown for grain you may expect to be compelled to hand pull them. It would be considered a favor if every farmer would send an unsigned postal card to the Secretary stating thereon the quarter sections in his neighborhood where he knows weeds are prevalent and also state the kind of weeds.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL.

GOPHER BOUNTY

The Rural Municipality of Mountain View will pay the following bounty for the destruction of Gophers within the municipality by any method whatsoever:

1½ CENTS EACH UP TO MAY 15TH, 1914

1 CENT EACH BETWEEN MAY 15TH AND JULY 15TH, 1914

The council will not furnish poison this year.

Those who wish to obtain the bounty must produce the whole tail of each gopher to the following councillors or overseers:-

Geo. Metz	H. McLean	O. W. Hembling
M. McLean	H. E. Pearson	J. W. Bridge
J. G. Dougherty	A. A. Dyck	W. Rupp
C. J. Dickau	Harry Gibson	Chas. Dendrich
T. E. Smith	H. Moritz	F. Putzke
W. Ashton	C. Hutton	H. B. Hengstler
J. W. Francis	B. Roselbargo	Sam Cummins
Abe Smalley	D. McCuen	W. E. Flinn
C. O. Heron		T. B. Simpson

Those who wish to obtain the 1½ cent bounty must produce the gopher tails to any of the above men not later than the 16th day of May.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL,
J. E. STAUFFER, Secretary.

TREGIL BRICKS

The Tregillus Clay Products, Ltd., are showing that the very BEST possible COLORS, TEXTURES and QUALITIES in HIGH GRADE FACE BRICKS are to be obtained from a western Canada factory.

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Didsbury Band Concert

(By Critic)

The concert given on 19th inst. under the auspices of the local Band and Orchestra proved a treat to those who were fortunate enough to hear it. Every praise must be given the conductor and members for the progress made of late; more especially when we consider the constant changes taking place through removal of members to other places, just perhaps, as they have attained some measure of proficiency, causing loss of time in training some one else in their steads. The remarks of Mr. Reed, principal of the high school, bearing on musical culture in general, and more especially its influence on the young were to the point and much appreciated. Could those remarks be put to practical use by parents in endeavoring to give some

Their second piece, "Angel Serenade" was splendidly rendered, there being measure of musical training to the boys and girls now growing up amongst us great and good results would surely follow.

"The Grand March" by band as an opening piece was well calculated to show capabilities of the players and though somewhat shakey at some points gave evidence of careful work.

They were more happy in the second selection, "Irish Melodies", the whole going with a swing much appreciated by the audience. The third item by band, "The Conqueror" was rendered still better, some of the stage fright having been got rid of by this time, the playing being more uniform and smooth.

The first number given by the orchestra "The March of the Brownies" was very indifferently rendered, a breakdown being saved by the first violins who were well up to their work.

HAVE you read the debenture bylaw published in this issue which calls for a debenture for \$8,000 to complete the payment for the electric light plant. It will be remembered that the original bylaw called for \$20,000, but this proved insufficient to cover the cost of the erection and installation of the plant by about \$5,000 and unforeseen expenditures to another \$3,000. This extra amount (\$8,000) has been carried by the Banks because the time was not opportune to put a debenture on the market without a loss. As the market is now in a much better condition it is thought advisable by the Town Council to put the debenture before the ratepayers for approval. It will be a saving to the town if the debenture is passed because it will not only make a saving in interest charges but a part of the principal will also be paid each year which we are unable to do now under present conditions.

some hard work in this piece for so young a band.

Their third piece "Heather Rose" was also rendered very creditably. The orchestra needs more strings and wood wind and less brass to make more perfect balance and give better tonal effect.

Miss Sexsmith in her Piano Solo was very effective, as was also conductor or Gathercole in the Cornet Solo, showing great executive ability and taste in rendition.

The Male Quartette and Chorus had three numbers to their Credit which were well received and an encore demanded.

In the Violin Duet by Messrs. Thompson and Ferrel we had another treat, though the constant repetition of two and three phases by each violin in turn became somewhat monotonous. Also the heating of time with the foot and swaying of the body by the violinists took away much of their effectiveness as players. An encore was demanded which was much spoiled by the strings calling a clarinet to aid them. On the whole a most enjoyable time was spent and we trust it will not be long till we shall again have an equally good programme given us.

Meeting of Local Temperance Forces

A meeting of the Didsbury branch of the Temperance and Moral Reform League was held on Monday night in the Presbyterian church. There was not a very large attendance of the faithful but those who were at the meeting were enthusiastic and eager for the campaign of provincial prohibition, which it is thought will take place sometime in 1915.

The meeting opened with Mr. Fred. Moyle in the chair.

A letter was read from Mr. Manasseh Weber resigning the Presidency of the local branch of the league.

The resignation was accepted, and the chairman then called for nominations for a new President.

It was then moved by Messrs. P. R. Reed and Fred Moyle that Mr. H. W. Chambers be President of the local branch. This motion was carried unanimously and Mr. Chambers was declared elected.

The new President was then called to the chair, and in a few well chosen words asked the hearty support of the temperance supporters and as there was to be an election of other officers at this meeting he also asked for the election of an efficient staff to assist him, as there was heavy work to be done in view of the coming campaign. It was then moved that Mr. Fred.

Moyle continue to act as Vice-President, but he stated that as he already held an office on the Provincial board and that he expected to be away considerably during the coming summer he did not think that he should hold this position, but that they could depend upon him to do all in his power to assist the organization. He moved with Mr. D. S. Shantz seconding, that Dr. J. M. Reid be Vice-President.

The enquiry was made as to whether the Doctor would accept as he was unable to be present to state whether he would or not. It was announced that he was willing to accept office if he was wanted. The election of Dr. Reid was unanimous; Mr. Moyle will act as assistant Vice-President.

The question of appointing a Secretary-Treasurer was then taken up. Mr. W. Miller, the acting Secretary, was asked to retain the office but stated in view of the heavy work ahead and his time being pretty well taken up with other work he would be unable to undertake the Secretarial duties.

The President then made a plea for the appointment of an efficient Secretary as there would be a lot of work in connection with the campaign.

Messrs. P. R. Reed, N. Clark, Rev. D. S. Marshall, H. S. Patterson, G. O. Johnson and B. A. St. Clair were all asked to take the position but declined. After some discussion Mr. Johnson was finally prevailed upon to accept the office as Secretary for the present.

Mr. W. Miller was elected Treasurer.

The following gentlemen were appointed on the executive committee: P. R. Reed, H. B. Atkins, N. Clark, P. Johnston, Dr. A. J. Weart and D. Dippel.

A great deal of argument took place as to what boundaries constituted the Didsbury district for organization purposes. The matter was left in abeyance until further information is received from headquarters.

Mr. H. S. Patterson addressed the meeting on the duties required of magistrates, especially along lines regarding the liquor business.

The meeting then adjourned.

The Reason Fewer People Take "Salts"

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You can buy Rexall Orderlies only at The Rexall Stores, and in this town only of us. H. W. Chambers, Didsbury.



King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F. & A.M. Meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.

P. R. REED, JOHN NIXON, Secretary. W. M.



DIDSBURY LODGE NO. 18, I.O.O.F. Meets in Fraternity Hall, Didsbury, every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting Oddfellows always welcome.

J. SINCLAIR, N. G. S. R. WOOD, Sec.

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Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public

MONEY TO LOAN on town and improved farm properties. Office—Over Union Bank of Canada Block. Didsbury - - - Alberta

Dr. A. J. Weart, M.D., C.M.

Physician, Surgeon

Graduate Toronto University. Office and residence one block west of Union Bank. Didsbury - - - Alberta

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF CALGARY

BETWEEN: Reitzel and Kalbfleisch of Didsbury, Alberta. Plaintiffs — and — Vernon A. Weaver, of Calgary, Alberta. Defendant

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of a Writ of Execution issued out of the District Court of the District of Calgary and to me directed against the lands of Vernon A. Weaver of Calgary, Alberta, defendant at the suit of Reitzel and Kalbfleisch of Didsbury, Alberta, Plaintiffs, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Defendant in the lands described as follows, that is to say: Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9) Block A Plan Didsbury 263L, and I will offer for sale by Public Auction the interest of the said Vernon A. Weaver in the above described property on Saturday the 18th day of April A.D. 1914 in front of the Office of H. S. Patterson, solicitor, at Didsbury at the hour of eleven o'clock a.m. TERMS OF SALE CASH.

Dated at Calgary this 16th day of January A.D. 1914.

F. M. GRAHAM, Sheriff, J.D.C.



SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at the office of any Local Agent of Dominion Lands (not sub-agent), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required in every case, except when residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and 50 acres extra cultivation. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land after report by Homestead Inspector on application for patent.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. CORY,

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. —37085.

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THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

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(Continued)

Fred closed the house with his usual care. Then he went up to bed.

My bedroom was over the library, and Mrs. Butler and Margery Fleming had connected rooms across the hall. Fred and Edith slept in the nursery wing so they would be near the children. In the square upper hall there was a big reading table, a lamp and some comfortable chairs.

I was awakened by the pungent acrid smell of smoke. My cigarette had dropped from my hand still lighted and as the way with cigarettes, determined to burn to the end. In so doing it had fired my bed, the rug under the bed and pretty nearly the man on the bed. It took some sharp work to get it all out without rousing the house. Then I stood amid the wreckage and looked ruefully at Edith's pretty room.

Three pitchers of water on the bed had made it an impossible couch. I put on a dressing gown and with a blanket over my arm, I went out to hunt some sort of place to sleep. I decided on the davenport in the hall just outside, and as quietly as I could I put a screen around it and settled down for the night.

I was awakened by the touch of a hand on my face. I started, I think, and the hand was jerked away. I am not sure; I was still drowsy. The hall was dark and quiet. When I found so one I concluded it had been only a vivid dream. Then I noticed a heavy, sweetish odor in the air. The smell was almost nauseating. For some reason or other—association of certain odors with certain events—I found myself recalling the time I had a wisdom tooth taken out and that when I came around I was being sat on by the dentist and his assistant, and the latter had a black eye. Then suddenly I knew. The sickly odor was chloroform!

I had the light on in a moment and was rapping at Margery's door. It was locked, and I got no answer. A pale light shone over the transom, but everything was ominously quiet beyond the door. I went to Mrs. Butler's door next. It was unlocked and partly open. One glance at the empty bed and the confusion of the place and I rushed without ceremony

through the connecting door into Margery's room.

The atmosphere was reeking with chloroform. The girl was in bed, apparently sleeping quietly. One arm was thrown up over her head, and the other lay relaxed on the white cover. A folded towel had been laid across her face, and when I jerked it away I saw she was breathing very slowly and stentorously, with her eyes partly open and fixed.

I threw up all the windows before I roused the family downstairs and saw the silver was intact and the back kitchen door open. And then the doctor came, and I was put out in the hall.

Not until the doctor came out to me and said she was better and would I call a maid to make some strong black coffee did I come out of my stupor. The chance of doing something, anything, made me determine to make the coffee myself. They still speak of that coffee at Fred's.

It was Edith who brought Mrs. Butler to my mind. Fred had maintained that she had fied before the intruders and probably was in some closet or corner of the upper floor. It was I who found her, after all, lying full length on the grass in the little square yard back of the house. She was in a dead faint and was a much more difficult patient than Margery.

We could get no story from either of them that night. It was a strange experience—the night intrusion without robbery as a motive. If Margery knew or suspected the reason for the outrage she refused to say. As for Mrs. Butler, to mention the occurrence put her into hysteria. It was Fred who put forth the most startling theory of the lot.

By George, he said the next morning when we had failed to find tracks in the yard and Edith had reported every silver spoon in its place, by George, it wouldn't surprise me if the lady in the grave clothes did it herself. There isn't anything a hysterical woman won't do to rouse your interest in her if it begins to flag. How did any one get in through that kitchen door when it was locked inside and outside. I tell you she opened it herself.

I did not like to force Margery's confidence, but I believed that the outrage was directly for the purpose of searching her room, perhaps for papers that had been her father's. Mrs. Butler came around enough by morning to tell a semiconnected story, in which she claimed that two men had come in from a verandah roof and tried to chloroform her.

The inability of Margery Fleming to tell who had chloroformed her, and Mrs. Butler's white face and brooding eyes made a very respectable mystery out of the affair. Only Fred, Edith and I came down to breakfast that morning.

Did you find anything, Fred? Edith asked. Fred did not reply, so she repeated the question with some emphasis.

Eh—what? Fred inquired, peering around the corner of the paper.

Did you find any—claw?

Yes, dear—that is, no. Nothing to amount to anything. Upon my soul Jack, if I wrote the editorials of this paper I'd say something. He subsided into inarticulate growls behind the paper, then I heard a snifle distinctly. Edith was crying—pouring cream into a coffee cup and feeling blindly for the sugar, with her pretty eyes obscured. In a second I was up, had crumpled the newspapers, including Fred's, into a ball, and had lifted him bodily out of his chair.

When I am married, I said fiercely, jerking him around to Edith and pushing him into a chair beside her, if I ever read the paper at breakfast when my wife is bursting for conversation, may I have some good and faithful friend who will bring me back to a sense of my duty. I drew a chair to Edith's other side. Now, let's talk, I said.

Fred had taken her hand and was patting it gently, the while his eye sought the headlines on the wad of morning paper.

You burned that blue rug, she said to me disconsolately, with a threat of fresh tears. It took me ages to find the right shade of blue.

I will buy you that Shirvan you wanted, I hastened to assure her.

Yes, to take away when you get married. There is a hint of the shrew in all good women.

I will buy the Shirvan and not get married.

Here, I regret to say, Edith suddenly laughed.

You! she chortled, and pointed one slim finger at me mockingly. You who are so mad about one girl that you love all women for her sake. You who go white instead of red when she comes into the room! You, who have let your practice go to the dogs to be near her and then never speak to her when she's around, but sit with your mouth open like a puppy begging for candy.

Honestly Edith, do I do that? I gasped. She leaned over and kissed Fred.

Women like men to be awful fools about them, she said. That's why I'm so crazy about Freddie. He writhed.

If I tell you something nice, Jack, will you make it a room size rug?

Room size it is.

Then, Margery's engagement ring was stolen last night, and when I commiserated her she said: Dear me, the lamp's out and the coffee is cold.

Remarkable speech under the circumstances, said Fred.

Edith rang the bell and seemed to be thinking. Perhaps we'd better make it four small rugs instead of one large one.

Not a rug until you have told me

what Margery said, firmly.

Oh, that! Why she said it really didn't matter about the ring. She had never cared much about it anyway.

But that's only a matter of taste, I protested, somewhat disappointed. But Edith got up and patted me on the top of the head.

Silly! she said. If the right man came along and gave her a rubber teething ring she'd be crazy about it for his sake.

Edith took me upstairs to measure for the Shirvan, Edith being a person who believes in obtaining a thing while the desire for it is in its first bloom. Across the hall Fred was talking to Margery through the transom.

Mustard leaves are mighty helpful, he was saying. I always take them on shipboard. And cheer up. Land is in sight.

I would have given much for Fred's ease of manner when, a few minutes later, Edith, having decided on four Shirvans and a hall runner, she took me to the door of Margery's room. She was very still and pale.

I hope you are better, I said.

She said she was a little better. I who have a local reputation of a sort before a jury, I could not think of another word to say. I stood there for a minute uneasily, with Edith poking me with her finger to go inside the door and speak and act like an intelligent human being. But I only muttered something about a busy day before me and fled. It was singular, but as I stood in the doorway I had a vivid mental picture of Edith's description of me, sitting up puppy-like to beg for a kind word and wiggling with delight when I got it. If I slunk into my office that morning like a dog scourged to his kennel Edith was responsible.

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A reverend canon of the Anglican church relates that, on one occasion it fell to his lot to marry his footman to his cook. The footman would persist throughout the service in putting his finger to his forehead every time his master addressed him in accordance with custom. The reverend gentleman remonstrated in an undertone:

Don't touch your forehead, John, but say the words after me. Then aloud: Wilt thou take this woman to be thy wedded wife? etc.

John, bearing in mind the canon's hint, replied: After you, sir! and the assembled friends burst into laughter.

Probably the first time in the history of any province in the Dominion a movement has been started in Saskatchewan to form an association in different districts for the co-operative marketing of eggs, and the increasing of the egg output. It is the desire to place this industry on a profit producing basis without increasing the cost to the consumer, and in fact, if the scheme works well, a reduction may be expected. It is proposed to have nine branches of this association; the head quarters to be at Regina. An association has been organized at Lloydminster, and others will be organized at Redvers, Milestone, Tugaskie, Forget, Graham Hill, Penzance, Elfron and Wilcox.

AFRAID TO EAT

Girl Starving on Poorly Selected Food

"Several years ago I was actually starving," writes a girl, "yet dared not eat for fear of the consequences."

"I had suffered indignation from over-work, irregular meal and improper food, until at last my stomach became so weak I could eat scarcely any food without great distress."

"Many kinds of food were tried, all with the same discouraging effects. I steadily lost health and strength until I was but a wreck of my former self."

"Having heard of Grape-Nuts and its great merits, I purchased a package, but with little hope that it would help me—I was so discouraged."

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Nae, sir, nae, replied the caddie. There's nae carrying in the winter time. Ye see, it's this way. If it's no snaw it's frost; if it's no frost, it's snaw; if it's neither snaw nor frost, it's rain; if it's no rain, it's wind; an if it's a fine day, it's the Sabbath.

Corns cannot exist when Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to them, because it goes to the root and kills the growth.

Unobstructed

Mrs. Blank—My husband has the clearest head of any man I ever met.

Mrs. Franks—So my husband tells me. He says there's nothing in it.

She Jolly Well Did

Mary had a lot of cash. "Twas left her by her 'fawther," and perhaps she didn't cut dash—Oh, say, you know—well, rather!

Guest (a famous tenor, to his hostess)—I should be very glad to sing for you, but unfortunately I am rather hoarse tonight.

Hostess—Oh, what a shame! And isn't there anything else you can do?

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A young man who had spent his life in a country village went to Dublin to seek his fortune. On the day of his arrival he walked into a restaurant and ordered dinner. The waiter brought in the meal in all those little dishes sacred to restaurant keeping and arranged them in tempting array around the man's plate. For half an hour he sat and looked at the untouched dinner. Overcome by hunger, he called the waiter, who had been watching him wonderingly, and said:

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Dix—Yes, algreys are merely their nom de plume.

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He—Yes, I am a soldier. I helped England win the Boer war.

She—Is that so? Which side were you on?

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Mrs. Pester—Don't you really think that women have more patience than men?

Mr. Pester—I am sure of it. I have been watching you play solitaire all evening with a deck that's four or five cards short.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Teacher—The camel can go eight days without water.

Freddy—So could I if na would let me.

Crawford—What's the matter with that fellow who is holding on to the lamp-post and shuffling his feet.

Crabshaw—There was a time when I'd have said he was drunk, but now perhaps he's practising a new dance.

Ambiguous

You remember I missed you several times last year.

Yes, said the guide.

Well, I am a better shot now.

Success depends largely upon
Good Health

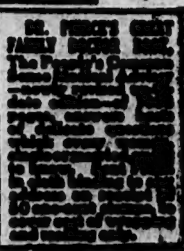
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Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. A single set is often sufficient. For a liberal free sample of each, with 32-p. book, send post-card to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. D, Boston, U. S. A.

LAWYER IS HONORED

OTTAWA MAN IS SECRETARY OF INLAND REVENUE DEPT.

S. U. Vincent, Well Known at the Capital, Succeeds to Important Post and Will Combine Secretaryship With Office of Assistant Deputy of the Department — Ran Against Murphy.

J. U. Vincent, K.C., has been appointed secretary of the Federal Department of Inland Revenue and Assistant Deputy of that Department. The new official is a member of the well-known law firm of Vincent & Seguin, of Ottawa, and has been an active figure in the local political arena for some years. He contested Russell against Hon. Charles Murphy in the last Federal election but was defeated.

Mr. Vincent is a man of energy and decided views on public questions and has been conspicuous for many years as a leader of a section of the French-Canadians. He has been ex-



J. U. VINCENT.

remely active in promoting what he believes to be the rights of his fellow countrymen in matters educational, and national, and also has been a conspicuous figure municipally and fraternally.

He is clear-headed and fearless in debate and an excellent public speaker and a lawyer of good ability.

He was born in Ottawa in 1872 and educated there, being a graduate of Ottawa University, with honors in philosophy. He subsequently studied law at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, and was called to the Ontario Bar in 1897. He was created a King's councillor in 1910. He has practiced his profession with success in the capital ever since graduation and rapidly came to the front, as a leader among the French-Canadians of the capital. He has been president of the Monument National, and of the Ste. Jean Baptiste Society, and of the L'Union Canadian of Ontario. He has been a vice-president of the Ottawa branch of the O-r-sea Club and chief ranger of Court 304, C. O. F., and he has also sat at the Aldermanic Board and been a license commissioner for Ottawa.

Lapsing in Golden Numbers.

There have been so many big cases in the British law courts during the past few months that speculation has been rife as to the incomes made by fashionable K.C.'s. It is not unusual for a prominent lawyer to pocket \$100,000 a year, and yet the majority of them are quite willing to make financial sacrifices in order to attain Cabinet rank.

Newsdays Mr. F. E. Smith appears to be engaged for every big case, and oftentimes he keeps several cases going on the same day. His income must be of handsome proportions, and yet he is certain to take Cabinet office when the Tories return to power, though his income will only be something like a fourth of what it is now. It is questionable, however, with all his big fees whether Mr. F. E. has talked to greater profit than his bosom friend, Mr. Winston Churchill. Just as he returned from the Boer War, and before he was known as a Parliamentarian, Mr. Churchill pocketed \$264 as his share for an hour and a half's lecture at St. George's Hall, Liverpool. His present salary is a wretched dole compared with that rate of payment.

New She's Much Younger.

Wilfred—Do you know Miss Cutey too?

Ernie—Yes; we used to be the same age when we were growing up.—Judge.

The Limit.

I can stand for the man with the cute little bow.

On the back of his green colored hat. For there are a lot of good fellows I know.

Who sometimes have fallen for that; The fedora of plush is a lid I don't like—It's a fed that will never be missed—But somehow I've always an itching to strike.

The man with the watch on his wrist.

I grow peevish at times at the ladylike man.

Who says "Mercy me!" and "Oh, dear!" And the chap in the ballroom who does a fan.

Is the chap I could swear on the ear.

The swell with the cane in the crook of his arm.

Isn't human, I often insist.

But some day somebody is going to harm The man with the watch on his wrist.

—Detroit Free Press.

KING GEORGE AS FARMER.

His Majesty Had Thirty-Five Entries In Smithfield Show.

The crowned heads of Britain, for many years, have recognized the fact that agriculture is the basis of a country's prosperity.

For several years past many of the big prizes at the Smithfield Show, London, have been awarded to the farmer sovereign, whose exhibits are always a feature of the show.

Even as far back as 1800, King George III. was an exhibitor at the great show, but failed to secure a prize. Six years later, the Duke of York was successful. Queen Victoria won many trophies, being awarded the Champion Cup for the best beast in the show in 1883, 1889, 1890, 1895, and 1899, and it may be incidentally mentioned, that by her command no exhibit that has not been bred on one of the royal farms has been exhibited by the sovereign, since the year 1890.

King Edward won the championship of the cattle section in 1874, and the Cup for the best pen of sheep in 1885; while our present King won the championship for pigs in 1895, and the Prince Consort a gold medal for pigs in 1899.

Nor has the Smithfield Club lacked royal support from other points of view, as King Edward was their president in 1875, 1883, and again at the Centenary Show in 1893; while H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh occupied the position in 1887 and H.R.H. Prince Christian, who is a constant exhibitor, in 1893.

At the recent show, Windsor, Sandringham and Balmoral were all represented, the royal entries totalling thirty-five. King George inspected all his entries, and handled many of them.

Perhaps the King chiefly differed from more specialist exhibitors, in the particular interest he took in the men who tended his stock. As he stroked the forehead of his beautiful shorthorn heifer he inquired of the herdsman how many years he had served at Windsor; and if ever a Scotsman rolled his "rs" it was that herdsman when he replied with obvious pride, "Nearly thirty years." But in those thirty years he had never seen Windsor so unrivalled.

Someone propounded the theory that the soil of Windsor, which used to produce the best English outcrops, must have similar properties in stock production. Out of twelve entries from Windsor three special breed cups won in Devon, Herefords, and Shorthorns—of which the first two are sometimes supposed to need west-country air—and seven first prizes and two seconds. The Sandringham farm won a few firsts; principally in small classes for small cattle, kerries and crossbreds of this breed.

The King again and again laughed heartily throughout his extended tour of the show. He merrily urged his shepherds who were holding his pen of Southdowns, to use their best devices when it came to a contest with the pen of Hampshire which were known to be dangerous rivals, as they proved.

The immense zeal of the guardians of some of the stocks to show their animals to the best advantage before the King produced an almost embarrassing situation in the Gilbey Hall, which was devoted to machinery and pigs.

As soon as the King, accompanied by Sir Bowen Bowen-Jones, the year's president, appeared, in the hall almost all the prize pigs were roused from their recumbent ease by vigorous slaps with flat "bats" that are the technical weapon. White pigs and black pigs and red pigs at once started such a chorus of protest, some upsetting their troughs and shaking the floor from their "feces," that the spick-and-span Gilbey Hall might have been an Irish fair and so it continued.

Somebody Guessed Right.

The Cheddar cheese which I brought into the rooms at Simpson's, Cheshide, London, each day at lunch time, had its height, girth and weight, correctly guessed by one of the diners the other day. The measurements were: Height 13 3/4 inches, girth 28 3/4 inches, and weight 24 1/2 pounds. This feat has only been accomplished nine times in twenty years. Old city men who have lunched regularly at the same restaurant for forty years make the three guesses each day. The cheese is brought in on a foot-high revolving pedestal, and placed in front of the chairman. Each guest is supplied with a slip of paper on which to record his guesses, and whenever any one succeeds the proprietor asks all the guests to drink the health of the winner in champagne. The custom is believed to be nearly two hundred years old, and before the luncheon, for which sixty-five places are set at three tables, the chairman invariably says grace.

Preliminaries.

Struggling Author (who has just read his latest story to his wife)—There. That's the best thing I ever did.

His Wife—Yes, dear. What magazine shall you send it to first?—Puck.

His One Friend.

James (who is broke)—I have one faithful friend left.

Huika (also broke)—Who is it?

James—My pipe. I can still draw on that.—Stray Stories.

THE WARBLER FAMILY.

There Are Thirty-Three Kinds Found In Ontario.

The Sylvicolidae, or Warblers, are a very wide family connection—embracing in all thirty-three varieties of birds which honor Ontario with their prized presence, some, it is true, in such very limited numbers as to be comparative rarities, says C. M. C. in Toronto Star Weekly. There is a prevailing strain of brilliant coloring running through them; their beauty, indeed, is more a prominent feature, as usual, than any proficiency in a melodic sense. In fact, a college professor, hard put for a joke, well might state the breed to be so-called, because they do not "warble." The blue yellow-backed warblers utter but a soft, drawn-out twitter; the mourning warbler nothing further than a low, pensive, simple "twit"—their only songs. The Blackburnian variety—the most beautiful of the whole family—breeds in Northern Ontario, so that, except on its passage north and south, we see too little of it; unless in too great a haste it is its habit to stop off for a week or so each October's end.

Speaking generally, the warblers may be said to nest on low bushes, although a few, like the Pine-creeping and Golden-crowned thrush species, resort to ground-nesting to rear their brood. Their little cousins—sometimes known as the Canadian Fly-catchers (Myiodytes Canadensis)—utilize both situations indifferently. The Yellow warblers—so commonly observed about civilized haunts and prized for their assiduity in ridding the fruit trees of small insects—have a peculiarity of not being able to forego building in a willow or a maple, if they can find one situated adjacent to an orchard. The entire Warbler family has the distinction—also a value—of feeding alone upon insects.

After the Yellow Warbler—whose name sufficiently describes him—the commonest of the warblers are, perhaps, the Red-start, the Golden-Crowned Thrush, and the Water Thrush or Wagtail. The first is five and a quarter inches long; black, if one is asked to describe him; but the white breast and the ruddy orange tint of the sides of the breast and base of the quills and tail make him one of the prettiest birds of our woods. The last-named is olive-brown above, of a prevailing sulphur-yellow below, and is generally to be found near a stream or pond, wading in the shallows, diligently "wagging" his tail with the relish his feed of aquatic insects imparts.

From his appearance the Water-thrush has been sometimes confused with the Golden-crowned Thrush, but the latter never nests or feeds near the swamps and moist ground. Above he is olive-green with a tinge of yellow; his crown has two streaks of black enclosing a broad orange stripe, beneath, his plumage is white, while his breast and sides are sooty black—also a truly beautiful summer resident, one can see. If she can, this pretty creature prefers a pine-wood for the scene of her nuptials. Suppose the five young to have saved y clipped themselves out from the creamy-white eggs that you knew were hatching, although not wishful to disturb. The ground-nesters have so many enemies that it seems a wonder their kind does not become extinct—till you remember how mother nature, with an eye to that very chance, gives for each of such birds the right hues of plumage to protect it, as well as by directing its instincts so that these dangers may be minimized.

What the golden-crowned thrush mostly hunts for is a nesting site on a knoll, irrespective of direction, where she can cunningly thatch her nest with the needles, so like the ground around. Which explains why she is far better known to most people as the "oven-bird"—Selurus auropalms.

"What Neck'st?"

W. F. Stevens, the robust Live Stock Commissioner for Alberta, is widely known for his geniality, a quality which seems to accompany stoutness of person. He was in Winnipeg one hot July day and had occasion to buy a new collar. Entering a gent's furnishing store on Portage Avenue he startled the obliging young clerk by asking for a collar, size 22.

"Sorry, sir," the boy replied politely, "but we are just out of that size. There is a store, however, just around the corner that could probably supply you."

Imagine the feelings of the live stock authority when he rounded the corner and read the following sign:

"Northwest Harness Co., Ltd. Use 'Fit-Well' Collars on your Horses."

Light Rifles For Cadets.

The Cadet Corps of Canada are to be supplied with 22-calibre rifle. The Ross Rifle Company is making the rifles of a pattern approved by the Militia Department. They will weigh about five pounds or less and are almost a miniature of the long Ross.

In the past, while the cadets used the long rifles for shooting over the ranges, and will do the same in the future, the rifles were found too heavy for drilling in the case of the smaller boys. The light rifles will be used for drill purposes and for indoor shooting.

MARVELLOUS LONDON.

There Is No Other City Like Her In the World.

Sir William Soulaby, who was private secretary to the Lord Mayor before most Londoners of to-day were born, and has been private secretary to every Lord Mayor since, has been doing a great service in trying to drive home to the Londoner that London has a personality, that London is unique—wherefrom it follows that a Londoner must rank above all other men in the world.

But Sir William stopped short, or the interviewers did not report him fully, London is not a city; London is not like anything else in the world—merely because it is the very Heart of the World. To-day, to be a Londoner is equivalent to having been a Roman citizen of two thousand years ago.

The Personality of London—ought to thank that doyen of private secretaries, that super-private secretary, for the phrase. London has a personality, she is a living thing, the most vast, most pathetic, thing which our civilization has produced.

Can anyone conceive the world with London eliminated. It would be a world in ruin, a world in sackcloth and ashes. Trade rivals may hate us all at us, raise tariff barriers against us; but London remains all-essential to their trade. A disaster to London would mean starvation to untold millions.

To-day how many Londoners realize the immensity of their privilege in belonging to the Imperial City? Here and there you find a man who knows one who has been behind the scenes and understands the hollow-ness of the claims of other cities, other nations. In one short street alone, Mincing-lane, the greater part of the trade of the Far East is handled, and the Far East has always been, from a trade point of view, the prize of the world.

There are about half a dozen such places, places right on the main track, where your hand is on the world's pulse. Of these, I think, I would put Hong Kong first, the greatest of seaports, the finest jewel in the Imperial crown, the clearing-house of half a world. Stand on the steps of the postoffice of Hong Kong, and you will see all the nations of the earth pass before you; and, sooner or later you will see all the men and women you have met in other great ports pass you. Stand on the quay, where the police take your name before you enter a sampan, lest your boatmen cut your throat, and you will realize, in part at least, the immensity of the British Mercantile Marine; also you will realize, if you have a sense of proportion, the growing menace of German competition.

Really, Hong Kong is part of London, as is also Singapore, which runs it close in wealth. Until you have seen these two ports, you cannot realize at all the reach of our national greatness. We are the richest people the world has ever known, we handle a volume of trade almost to put a few million people into Australia and South Africa, and have lent them more than a few million pounds, but such places as Hong Kong and Singapore, and because London business men and London bankers seized the opportunities presented to them.

Calcutta and Bombay are splendid magnificent; but they are not parts of London. India herself is great enough to claim, and to hold, them for her own. Other famous cities, such as Melbourne or Toronto, are merely Colonial, with Colonial interests. You cannot feel the pulse of the world beating in them.

What other city has a personality, in the cosmopolitan sense of the word, what other city can take into herself all the peoples of the world, absorb them, make them part of her wondrous self?

Paris is—well, Paris. She is unique, delightful, the France. The Parisian has little or nothing in common with that wonderful peasantry which forms the backbone of the French nation of the world. Vienna, Berlin, Peterburg—these are merely local capitals. Rome is the ghost of a great tradition.

Landmark Is Modernized.

An ancient stone weir on the River Ode, constructed by Hugh Lupus, Earl of Chester, between 1070 and 1101 is being utilized to supply the city of Chester with electricity. The weir was originally erected to drive corn mills, and the milling industry continued up to 1907. In 1910, however, Chester Corporation, who had purchased the property, dismantled the mills. Mr. S. E. Britton, the city electrical engineer, then devised a scheme for converting the water power into electrical energy, and it is believed that the annual saving thus effected will repay the capital expenditure in five years. It is estimated that the installation will yield 1,250,000 units per annum at a cost of less than 13d per unit, inclusive of capital charges.

Thumb Prints Deed Signature.

Two human thumb prints form unusual parts of a real estate deed recently filed in Fort Madison, Ia. The deed is for some former Indian lands in Oklahoma, and the thumb prints were taken in the place of signatures. Above each thumb print is the name of the owner, written by the real estate agent who transacted the transfer of the property from the government to two Indians. This deed is unique in real estate records.

FOLLOWS SIMPLE LIFE

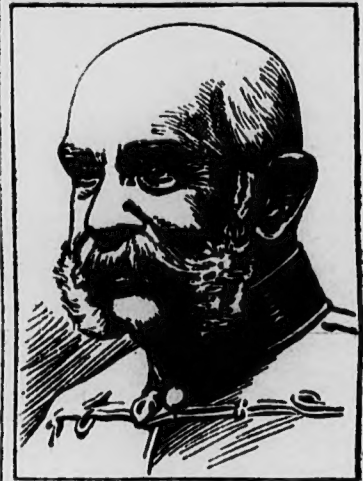
EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH IS A LONELY OLD MAN.

Head of the House of Hapsburg Derives His Throne From a German Baron Who by an Act of Kindness Earned an Empire—Austria-Hungary Is Biggest Country in Europe Except Russia.

The Emperor of Austria-Hungary, who is often spoken of as the most lonely monarch in Europe, is a famous shot and is descended from a race of keen sportsmen. It was, in fact, on a hunting expedition that the first Hapsburg to come into prominence met with an adventure which helped him to the crown of what was then "the Holy Roman Empire of German Nationality."

Rudolf von Hapsburg was a simple German baron who led a quiet life in his castle, Hapsburg, among the Alps, and did not concern himself with the troubles which rent the empire into warring factions. He was riding home one night after a day's hunting when he came to a swollen mountain torrent. The tinkling of a little bell on the further bank attracted his attention. He saw a priest and an accompanying acolyte carrying the vitium of some dying sinner, and their way was barred by the stream.

Rudolf von Hapsburg set the priest upon his horse and not only helped him safely across, but escorted him cap in hand, meekly and on foot, to his destination. The recital of this graceful act to the German princes assembled for the election of an emperor is said to have induced them to vote in favor of Rudolf von Hapsburg. At any rate, Rudolf was crowned emperor and managed a very difficult empire with considerable skill. The empire of Kaiser Franz Josef is greater in extent than any other European state, save Russia, and



EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH.

wherever you go in it you will find a "jagd-schloss," a shooting box, where the mighty lodge when following their favorite sport.

Whitewashed, with red-tiled roofs, and flanked by little round towers, these castles stand among clumps of trees in the fertile duchies of Austria, or rise up on a mountainside dark with fir trees. They look so peaceful, but heavy cares intrude even here, and the spirit of the place is not in harmony with its outward semblance.

The guns had hardly ceased speaking in the Balkans when Emperor Francis Joseph sought rest and peace in his castle among the Alps near Ischl.

When the Archduchess Sophie, the emperor's mother, bought this chalet it was a very unpretentious place. It has gradually been added to. But it still retains its original simple character. Every room looks as if it were lived in. The imperial owner's living apartments are as simple as, or even simpler than, the other rooms. He sleeps on a small camp bedstead.

Francis Joseph's daily life is in perfect harmony with these plain surroundings. He rises between 6 and 8 every morning, and after a cup of coffee and roll, without even butter, goes straight to his desk and begins the work of the day. Although far away from the seat of government, he cannot escape the affairs of state.

Usually the emperor works steadily until about eight o'clock, when he goes for a quiet stroll in the forest for an hour or so. Then he returns to his desk and has a sort of light preliminary lunch, a chop or cutlet, with one glass of beer. This is brought on a tray to his writing desk. With occasional interruptions work goes on until midday, when a family luncheon is served.

Francis Joseph confines himself to a slice of "Rindfleisch," that boiled beef of which Austrians are so fond. One glass of Austrian wine, red or white as he may fancy, or the doctor may direct, is all that he drinks. This is followed by a mild cigar, smoked from a long holder.

In the afternoon, between four and five o'clock, the emperor goes on a long drive through the forest. He never fails to take his gun along, and usually manages to have a little shooting on the way.

Houses In Japan.

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 Husband—What letter, dear?
 Wife—That one you just opened. I know by the handwriting it is from a woman and you turned pale when you read it. Hand it here, sir.
 Husband—Here it is, dear. It is from your dressmaker.

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 Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50¢.

Revenge is Sweet
 I have come to give notice, ma'am.
 Mistress—Indeed?
 Maid—And would you give me a good reference, ma'am? I am going to Mrs. Jones, across the way.
 Mistress—The best in the world, Maggie. I hate that woman.

Shiloh
 The family remedy for Coughs and Colds. Small dose. Small bottle. Best since 1870.

It may be that there is as much nutrition in a nickel's worth of beans as there is in a dozen eggs. No woman however, has been clever enough to concoct a cake recipe where beans can be used in place of hen fruit.

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 Yours truly,
 CHAS. F. TILTON.

This is the land of the free, but don't try to get too free with some people.

Oh, she said it was absurd to think of kneeling down to clean the steps in the tight skirts now worn, and she wouldn't dream of looking a scarecrow by wearing a full skirt.

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 A delightful, snow-white toilet preparation, which makes bad complexions good, and good ones better. Splendid for chafed, chapped, sore skin or cracked lips.
 In 25¢ opal glass jars at your Druggist's.
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Returning a Favor
 It's going to be war to the knife, declared the suburban man, who was feeding his chickens.
 What now? asked the friend.
 Why, Blinks, sent me a box of axle grease and advised me to use it on my lawn mower.
 Well?
 Well, I sent it back and told him to use it on his daughter's voice.

EVIL EFFECT OF CARELESS EATING

When depressed, blue, bilious and out of sorts you may attribute this condition to poison in the blood, resulting from careless eating—eating too much, eating too quickly or eating what does not agree.
 For three or four days there are looseness of the bowels, tickle appetite, acute indigestion and all-gone feelings. Efficiency is lowered, business deals are spoiled, pleasures are interfered with, and the sick spell may prove dreadfully expensive to you.
 By using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills as soon as trouble is apparent such an attack may be cut short, and regular healthful action of the digestive organs quickly restored. No treatment so promptly cleanses the filtering and excretory organs, and thereby rids the body of poisonous waste matter. The digestive system resumes its natural functions, and vigor and energy are restored to mind and body.

It Sometimes Happens
 He dragged his shotgun through the fence, muzzle first. But the gun didn't catch. And the shell didn't burst. And his wife through the gloaming in tears did not wait. And she doesn't wear black. And no one's on the gate.

There is nothing repulsive in Miller's Worm Powders, and they are as pleasant to take as sugar, so that few children will refuse them. In some cases they cause vomiting through their action in an unsound stomach, but this is only a manifestation of their cleansing power, no indication that they are hurtful. They can be thoroughly depended upon to clear all worms from the system.

Is that Mr. Smith? I called you up to ask if you can say anything good of Bridget Farley, who was with you as cook.

Yes, I can say one nice thing. She left without breaking any dishes. That's encouraging. How long did she stay?
 One hour.

His Full Name
 What? said a teacher to a boy with a slow memory, who had tried in vain to tell the name of the school-master, can't you remember your master's name?
 No, sir.
 My name is Brown, blackhead.
 Yes, sir.
 Well, you see if you can repeat it. What is my name?
 Brown Blackhead, sir.

A Bird With Hands
 In the forests of British Guiana, says the London Globe, lives the hoactzin, a singular bird, whose young possess a free claw at the end of each wing, which they use almost as the monkey uses his hands in tree climbing. The nest of the hoactzin is in a tree, overhanging the water and the young, unlike most birds are active from the first. The outermost quill feathers of the wing, which might hamper the free use of the claws, do not grow much until the rest of the wing is strong enough to make climbing less necessary. Then they grow out, and the claws are absorbed. The adult bird does not need them. Should a young hoactzin fall into the water it makes for the shore and seizes a branch, up which it quickly climbs.

JUST ONE MORE WOMEN RISES

TO TELL HER SISTERS THEY CAN FIND RELIEF IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Mrs. John Cabot, After Six Years' Suffering, Tried Dodd's Kidney Pills and Found New Life and Energy.
 White Head, Pique, Que. (Special).
 One more woman has risen to tell her suffering sisters they can find relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills. That woman is Mrs. John Cabot, well known and highly respected here, and she expresses her enthusiasm in these words: "I certainly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills. There's nothing better."
 Asked to give her experience, Mrs. Cabot continued: "My trouble started in a cold, and I suffered for six years. Rheumatism, neuralgia, stiffness of the joints, cramps in the muscles and heart fluttering were among my symptoms, and finally Bright's Disease developed. It was then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and they helped me almost from the start. After taking four boxes I feel like a new woman."
 Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys. Healthy kidneys strain all the impurities and poisons—all the seeds of disease—out of the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills not only cure the disease but by ensuring good blood give new life and energy to every part of the body.

Promoting the Janitor
 They were joint owners of an apartment house, and one day the junior partner sought his colleagues in some trepidation.
 The janitor wants ten dollars more per month, or he'll leave. I hate to give up the money, but we can't spare him.
 The senior partner disappeared and returned in a few moments.
 It's all right, he said. I have satisfied him, and it didn't cost us anything.
 How's that?
 The janitor is now the superintendent.
 Good work! declared the junior partner. But why didn't you make him superintendent in the first place?
 Because, answered the senior member, I knew he'd want a promotion eventually. Every man wants a promotion some time, and to my mind, a good man deserves one.

Scoffers at policemen will do well to consider one of Chicago's, who subdued a street car rowdy and took him to the station house single handed.
 You can't avoid duty by taking a by-path.

Speaking Of Lunch
 the wife said, "Bring home a package of Post Toasties"
Post Toasties
 ---Sure!---

Toasties are wonderfully good at any meal, and somehow seem to match the appetite of both home folks and guests.

Bits of selected Indian Corn, delicately seasoned cooked, rolled thin and toasted to a rich golden brown—that's Post Toasties.

Fresh, tender and crisp, ready-to-eat direct from the package. With cream and a sprinkle of sugar—

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 I overheard a group of girls discussing the merits of their employers and, from their remarks it was apparent that a majority of them were stenographers. Some were loud in praise of their employers, while others were not. One miss seemed greatly impressed by hers.
 He is always so adept at answering letters that I have no trouble at all, she said. He isn't afraid to say anything he means. The other day he called me over to take a letter and his dictation was like this:
 Sir, my typist, being a lady, cannot take down what I think of you; I being a gentleman, cannot even think it; but you, being neither, can easily guess my thoughts.

Playing Safe
 Senator Wombat is bitterly disappointed in the wireless system.
 How so?
 He thought you could send a wireless message without anything being put on paper.

His Just Due
 Spattered Spooner (at the door)—M. dam, I am one of de deservin' poor dat you read about, and—
 Mrs. Flint (grimly)—Yes, judging from your looks you certain' deserve to be poor.

Truth—and Then Some
 A Cleveland man visited the land of his fathers on a recent vacation and while in the Emerald Isle took a trip to the lakes of Killarney. His guide of course, told the most wonderful stories and legends of the region.
 Pat, said the Clevelander, do you ever lie about these things?
 No, sor, asserted Pat. I never lie about them. I always tell the truth in every particular, only I adds to it.

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Willie Had Been Peeping
 Mrs. Kawi—Your sister's fiance's name is Turpin, I understand.
 Willie—Yes, and I guess he must be a descendant of Dick Turpin, 'cause he holds sister up every time he calls.

Men and the Flag
 Uncle Sam is advertising for a woman to patch battle-flags at \$3 a day—and only pays \$15 a month to the men who carry them!

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Dates Changed---Didsbury Fair, August 27 and 28, '14

TAKE NOTICE

All colors which have so far been given out in our piano contest must be recorded by the 1st April, 1914, as we will positively not accept them after that date.

We will issue one more color and that will be the only one we will allow for the balance of the contest.

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It has been asked us several times,
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Our Answer

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Meeting at Westerdale

The Westerdale Literary Society held a meeting recently to consider the advisability of establishing weekly half holiday and recreation grounds with the necessary equipment for games, etc.

The plan was outlined by Mr. C. Fessenden and the different phases of the question were enlarged upon by Messrs. J. F. Bailey, K. L. Sandford, C. D. Carver, A. Hendry and E. Drake.

Mr. J. Bolton presented a resolution stating that the good work of the Society was recognized and that a plan of amusement and a set time for such be provided for the residents of the district, and that they record themselves as in favor of providing and maintaining grounds and equipment necessary for the success of such plans, and that a committee be appointed to look over locations suitable for the purpose and as near the Westerdale church as possible and to get all information on same; the committee to call a meeting of the people and to report to them as soon as possible, and that at such meeting all necessary steps be taken to secure said grounds, elect officers, appoint committees, and transact any other business that may be necessary.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

On motion Messrs. Fessenden, Bolton and Hendry were elected a committee to take up the matter and then call a mass meeting of the people of Westerdale district to take further action on the matter.

Rugby News

A little field work has been started in this locality, such as discing and harrowing; other work will soon be in progress.

Skating having come to an end the young folks are looking for other amusements to take its place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Covitz spent a

few days in Calgary visiting friends.

There will be a short programme, box social and dance at the Rugby schoolhouse on April 3rd for the benefit of the Westcott and Cremona band; everybody welcome.

A few of the young people attended the dance at Big Prairie on March 20th and claimed having a good time.

The Ladies' Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. G. Adams on Thursday, April 2nd. Subject—"Spring cleaning and gardening."

Mr. Lincoln Shantz, of Didsbury, has been making a few trips up in Mr. Blain's direction lately. There must be something very attractive up in that direction to call for such a long drive. Ask Lincoln what the matter with the Didsbury girls.

Mrs. Hall, of Edmonton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Vipond, is visiting her parents and friends in the district.

Miss Vera Moon is staying with her sister, Mrs. H. Pearson, east of town.

Miss May McWhorter is visiting some distance east of Didsbury and expects to be gone for some time.

Lutheran service was held in the Rugby school on March 18th.

Don't forget the date of the dance at Rugby on April 3rd.

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Wheat, No. 1 white	0.72
Oats	0.25
Barley, No. 3	0.32
Rye	0.45
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Card of Thanks

Conductor Gathercole and the Didsbury Band and Orchestra wish to express to the public and the Didsbury High School their great appreciation for the excellent support given them at their recent concert and hope to merit the continuance of the same in the future. A. Z. WEBER, Secretary

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NOTICE—Don't sell your organ because it's not playing good, but have it put in first class condition by the expert. Leave orders at PIONEER OFFICE before April 1st.

R. B. MARTIN, Banff, wants service fee quotations from Didsbury Clyde and Percheron stallion owners. Have bunch of choicest young dairy calves to put out on shares.

WHEN in for harness requirements don't forget to ask about our spring gloves. We have lines with striking new improvements in make and style.

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